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In re Application of  
Joseph De Bellis  
Application No. 09/935,565  
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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed June 3, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed August 24, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on November 25, 2004.

The Change of Correspondence Address filed June 3, 2005 has been entered and made of record.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Wan Laymon at (571) 272-3220.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center AU 2167.

  
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